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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Harder et al.                    Examiner: Suba Ganesan  
Ser. No.: 10/562,376                    Art Group: 3738  
Title: STENT COMPRISING A COATING SYSTEM  
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed 19 February 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION - none.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS – none; however, for the convenience of the Examiner, a listing of the claims is provided, beginning on page 2.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS - none.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS - begin on page 4.